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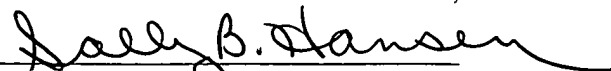
AMENDMENT AND REPLY  
TO OFFICE ACTION

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Responsive to the Office Action dated November 5, 2002, the amendments set forth below are respectfully submitted.<sup>1</sup> With the Petition for an Extension of Time (three months), the present amendment is timely filed on or before May 5, 2003.

This paper is in the format detailed and permitted pursuant to the Pre-OG Notice from the Deputy Commissioner of Patent Examination Policy dated January 31, 2003.

<sup>1</sup> I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST-CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313, ON MAY 5, 2003.

  
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